

The Weekly Chronicle.

THE DALLIES. OREGON

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

From the Daily Chronicle, Friday

Snow shovels of all sizes at H. Glenn's.

A fat purse means a stout Christmas tree.

Better a paid pork chop than a fat turkey on tick.

The steam ferry boat went into winter quarters today.

Louis Schadwitz and Joseph Elliot of Kent, are in the city.

The days begin to lengthen, and winter begins to strengthen. Ahem.

The latest concerning the snow plow is that she will be here this afternoon.

Jagson says the reason that women talk so much is because she suffers in silence.

Wearing wig and dyeing whiskers never deceives anybody but the people who do it.

Circuit court held a short session today, adjourning until the 3rd of January.

A. J. West of Prineville, is in the city. He says he will never come via Warm Springs again.

The way of the transgressor is hard; but he doesn't realize it until he has had a fall on it.

Win Curtis and Vic Marden are home from the Forest Grove university, until after the holidays.

Col. J. B. Eddy of Pendleton is among the snow bound passengers here today on No. 1 west bound.

The river is to-day comparatively clear of ice at The Dalles. Only now and then a scattering floe.

Union street is being prepared for coasting and the toboggan club is bound to make it a merry resort.

A thousand men, more or less, are shoveling snow in The Dalles to-day, off awnings, housetops, walks, etc.

Geo. Neveus, A. E. Claffery, and C. S. Shank, of Seattle, and Chas. King of Tacoma, are in the city on business.

There has been 30 inches of snow fall in The Dalles up to the present time, in this storm, giving a precipitation of 2.38 melted snow.

Frank Sexton of Kingsley, who came in on business yesterday, left for home this morning wishing he had a sleigh instead of a wagon.

The head of the family expends many dollars on presents and receives two handkerchiefs and a pair of mitts. Then is the time to be merry.

Kennedy's steam yacht was all surrounded by ice this morning, and partly thrown down on her beam ends, at her moorings below Mill creek.

Hon. B. F. Nichols, member of the assembly from Crook county is here, en route for Salem. He came by the round-about way of Warm Springs, at the expense of old Father Time.

Col. Sinnott has teams hauling snow away from in front of The Umatilla today. A curious bystander asked the Colonel what he was going to do with the snow. The reply was that he proposed to dry it, and sell it for salt.

Now that Brigadier-General Casey, chief of engineers of the U. S. army, has given The Dalles citizens the true status of the aforesaid cascade canal contract. Maj. Handbury has the floor. May we hope to see what we shall expect.

The barometer has today fallen seventeen points since 10:30, and at 3 p. m. stood 29.862, with a temperature of 20 deg. above zero. The maximum today has been 23 deg. above zero. Wind is from the east with a velocity of ten miles per hour.

Speaking about the coming fish of the Columbia, when salmon are gone, shad was suggested. Jnd replied that that would do very well for suckers, but what puzzled the genuine fish was to find out how the meat ever got in between the bones of the shad.

The Telegram advises people to keep their eyes open when passing corners or between woodpiles and fences in walking along sidewalks, and not to carry a load of valuables on dark nights because the footpads are in Portland and are looking for easy game.

It has been suggested that there being several men in The Dalles, strangers, poets from traveling and destitute, that it would be a good idea to keep the city jail open and warm, as a place of shelter for them at night. City jails are generally places for refuge in times like the present.

J. D. Parish of California, the pioneer stage man, has purchased the stages, stock, route, etc., of A. W. Branner, between The Dalles, Dufur, Nausene, Antelope, Prineville, etc., and is now out over the line to relieve the same. This was formerly Mr. Parish's favorite route.

A Monument correspondent says the freighters have about quit the road for winter and those who are still swinging the whip are having a rough time of it as the snow is about ten inches deep. The mail carrier started in a few days ago on runners, but sleighing gave out and he completed the trip astride a cayuse.

Mr. Loomis of Cincinnati, Ohio, who has been making a tour of the Inland Empire, was particularly struck by the beauties of a choice lot of apples which he found at Dayton, Wash., and he made a purchase, shipping them via U. P. R. R. to Portland. His apples are here in a freight car, frozen as hard as rocks, with no locomotive power to carry them to their destination. Such is life on the U. P.

Claim Agent D. E. Hall, of the U. P. R. is here adjusting settlements on account of live stock killed by locomotives. He has one claimant at Cascade Locks who puts in his "claim" in poetic style, and signs himself "the only philosopher on top of the earth." This "philosopher" claims that he would clear the track by his magic hand, for a round trip ticket to the Chicago fair, hotel expenses and twenty dollars. Hall has referred the documents to Baxter.

Congressional reports show that Mr. Herman is urging his bill to create Crater lake park in Oregon. Crater lake is eight by four miles in area, 2,000 feet deep, and considered one of the great natural wonders of that region. Through Mr. Herman's efforts several townships in the vicinity of this lake were reserved under President Cleveland's administration. The proposed Crater lake park will embrace nearly 500,000 acres.

In hunting over some old papers belonging to his father a few days since, Geo. Herbert came across a complimentary ticket sent by E. Schutz to Mr. H. J. Sr., inviting him to attend a "soiree" to be given at John Williams' sale rooms, Friday evening July 3d, 1888, by E. Schutz. Dancing in those days was a fine art; and many were the sociables held in Auctioneer Williams' rooms. So popular were those dances, the people turned right around and elected Schutz sheriff, and Williams commissioner of Wasco county.

Jos. B. Petrie arrived last night from Pasely, Lake county, en route to Linkton, to inquire into the causes of the murder of a brother there on the 11th ult., by a man named Fletcher. The murderer has been arrested and will be tried at the coming term of the circuit court for Umatilla county. Mr. P. says there was no snow in the valley when he left Pasely, a week ago to-day. The grass was fine, and stock of all kinds rolling fat. He met the snow storm Wednesday, coming in, and found travel difficult yesterday as he neared The Dalles.

An engineer who was standing on the track at Umatilla with his locomotive, when the battle between the east and west winds occurred "at the finish" on Wednesday, says it was one of the fiercest contests he ever saw. The east wind would swoop past him on one side down, while the west wind went whistling up on the other side, each racing at the rate of 75 miles an hour, and almost literally filling the air with sand. This lasted for half an hour or more, when the west wind gave it up, and the eastern current proceeded toward The Dalles at railroad speed. Sand was blown over the locomotive to the depth of half an inch.

A farmer from the interior of Wasco county came to the city last Saturday with a few head of horses which he expected to ship to Portland by the Regulator line. Having overlooked the notice that the steamer would be hauled off on that day he attempted to arrange for shipment by the U. P. R., when he found that the difference in cost was actually prohibitory. He could not stand the tariff, and so sent the animals back to the farm, to wait until the boats resume trips. He has a band of young cattle in the valley which he will bring up to turn out on his range, but he will also wait for the boats now, to make that shipment. Thus it is that the U. P. R. "system" make friends for the road.

From the Daily Chronicle Saturday.

Endersby people will have a Christmas tree tonight.

Engineer George, with three cars, is reported ditched below Bonneville.

Barometer today at 2:30 p. m., marked 29.25, falling. Temperature stationary.

There is some prospect that a Bureau of Information will be formed at The Dalles.

The CHRONICLE wishes one and all a merry Christmas. Be cheerful and you will be merry.

Reports say the ditched coal train is yet an obstruction, three cars being across the track.

License to wed was granted today for Mr. M. Thornton and Miss E. M. Marsh, daughter of A. Y. Marsh.

A rain storm, winding up with a slush and a freeze, would make it decidedly interesting for the railway company.

The steamer Regulator was towed into winter quarters at Hungry Harbor by the steam ferryboat this morning.

And the rains descended today, in The Dalles, upon the just and unjust, according to the predictions by Pague.

Wm. Tackman, a former merchant of The Dalles, is in the city hand shaking with old-time friends and acquaintances.

Mr. Wilhelm, living about twelve miles from The Dalles, and Mr. Young who lives above him, about fifteen miles from The Dalles, both on 10-Mile, say the storm of snow was about the same up that way as it is here.

Mr. J. G. Kooniz, agent for the Continental Fire Insurance Co., has our thanks for a convenient calendar for 1893.

The toboggan slide on Union street will be rolled, and put in fine trim for coasting. Outdoor evening amusements now begin.

Snow boots that have been laid away for four winters unused, are brought out in The Dalles by their owners this week and again made serviceable.

A party of young people are arranging for a four-in-hand sleigh ride some evening next week. The objective point will be a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Cushing.

Santa Claus made his first appearance in The Dalles at the M. E. church last evening, gladdening the hearts of many little ones, and some of adult age.

Quietly look around your neighborhood and see if there are any who are not likely to have any Christmas. Play Santa Claus a little on your own hook.

Mr. Winans reports the Columbia river gorged all the way across, opposite the cannery. This accounts for the scarcity of ice in the stream abreast of The Dalles.

Rev. O. D. Taylor, pastor of the Baptist church, is yet too ill to preach. Because of this, there will be neither preaching nor Sunday school service at the Academy hall tomorrow.

The Western Union Telegraph Co. has a surplus of over \$13,000,000. Balfe Johnson, our worthy Dalles City operator, is handy at swelling the sum by close attention to business.

Mrs. F. W. Baltes, of Portland, was among the 200 registered at the Umatilla last night, as in snow blockade. She is returning from a visit to her parents Gen. and Mrs. O. F. Bell, of Union, Oregon.

A floe of ice about 100 feet wide, by 300 or 400 feet in length, is lodged on a ledge of rock near the middle of the river, half a mile above the city. This is the site for the pivotal pier for the coming bridge across the Columbia.

Mr. Henry Williams of 8-Mile, says the weather out that way is about the same as it is here. Snow two feet four. Stock is well supplied with feed. They are in no hurry to see the snow disappear, as it is needed to soak through the soil.

An extra heavy locomotive and caboose accompanied the rotary snow plow to the blockade this morning. Her speed out of the city was very slow and careful, apparently as if afraid of going to the bottom of some of the high trestles on the route.

A subscriber wants to know what a jute sack factory in the penitentiary would cost the state. An appropriation of \$75,000 would establish the institution, and it is claimed great benefit would result to the farmers of the state by cheapening grain bags.

One of the west-bound trains abandoned here was made up at noon today and sent east at 1:25 p. m. on the time of No. 8, which didn't come from Portland yesterday nor today. It will be of some benefit to people east of The Dalles, it is hoped.

Congregational church services for tomorrow as follows: Christmas service at 11 a. m.; Sunday school at 12:15; Young Peoples society of Christian endeavor at 5:45 p. m. Please observe change of time. Children's Christmas concert at 7 p. m., if the weather is suitable.

The sheriff of Baker county had more than the average incumbence with him in this blockade, having two prisoners for Salem, one a young man convicted of murder, and one a convicted horse thief. He has them hand-cuffed together but for safe keeping lodged them in Sheriff Ward's cross-bar hotel last night.

A house on West Eighth street has been quarantined on account of diphtheria. No alarm is felt concerning the disease, as the past experiences with the health department of the city gives assurance that the careful handling of such and similar cases, places spreading of the complaint out of the question.

The rotary snow plow, so long expected, has arrived, and gone at last to the blockade on the line between this city and Portland, leaving at 9:55. About 200 passengers, from three or four blockade trains, who were cared for at The Umatilla, were bundled into a train made up this morning, and followed the snow plow about three hours later.

In The Dalles it is never necessary to appeal to the public twice for contributions for those less fortunate. This was attested by the mission of Mrs. Rice and Mrs. Pressler, which made so many little ones happy this afternoon at the Library chapel Christmas tree. These thoughtful preparations were ample, and proved to be a most acceptable function in the distribution of gifts amongst deserving ones.

The services at St. Paul's Episcopal church on Christmas day will be as follows: Carol service at 7 a. m.; Celebration of Holy Communion 7:45; Sunday school 9:30; Morning service, followed by a second celebration of the Holy Communion at 11 a. m.; Children's Christmas service 7 p. m. The offerings at the morning service will be for the Christmas fund for disabled clergymen, and at the evening service for the children's Christmas.

The Grant Dispatch says there is now plowed and in wheat, or ready for wheat, 120,000 acres in Sherman county.

Long distance telephoning is becoming the rage. Steps are being taken to establish such a line between Tacoma and Spokane.

Hon. John Minto, at a late Marion county grange meeting, gave out the impression in a talk on taxation reform that only a few honest fools in Oregon nowadays gave in a just and true assessment. Uncle John was about right.

The youngest member of the Oregon assembly will be C. K. Wilkinson, member-elect from Lane county. He is but a few months past 21 years of age, and the youngest man ever elected to a legislative body on the Pacific coast.

Hogan, the prize-fighter, got married the other day just after being knocked out in the prize ring and blacked and blued all over. As the pair stood at the altar, says Peter the Poet, each admiring the other's bange, they presented a most interesting appearance.

Since the death of Jay Gould all his faults have been brought to light and given publicity, and the matter of dodging the tax collector is one of them. It is said he never paid over \$25,000 a year taxes on all his real and personal property. Just like some live Portland mill-liners!

Maj. Magone has gone into his lonely cabin in the mountain solitudes of Crook county to write a book. It is said the Mayor has plenty of good, nutritious "grub," and nothing will disturb him until the happy spring time shall come and the sweet zephyrs awake the flowers to bloom in all their loveliness. So mote it be.

Ed. Ayers rented four acres of land from his father across the river opposite Eugene, for which he agreed to pay 100 bushels of oats as the rental price. He raised beans enough on one-third of an acre to buy oats with which to pay the rent, and sold \$320 worth of potatoes and has \$50 worth of carrots left in the ground; a total of \$435 harvested from the four acres.

The entertainment in aid of Rockdale school came off on Friday last, and was fairly successful; \$14 having been realized, notwithstanding the fact that a party and dance was held in the neighborhood the same evening. The school house was nearly filled with an attentive and intelligent audience, who seemed to enjoy thoroughly both entertainment and supper.

An inveterate smoker, who loves his Missouri meerschaum, gives the following specific for cleaning out a corn cob pipe: "After you have smoked a corn-cob pipe for about a month, there is danger that it may become worse to the nerves than the one Mark Twain's Arkansas visitor used when Mark 'tuned white in the face' for the first time in his life. In such cases take a fragment from any democratic newspaper handy, roll it into the shape of a bottle stopper, and touch a match to it. After the paper is consumed you will find the pipe literally cleaned out, and you can buy a new one for a nickel." His recommendation to use a democratic paper is perhaps because he is an antidote for nicotine.

Among the passengers delayed at The Dalles by the snow blockade, were some whose business was of a nature to cause them heavy pecuniary damages by failure to get through. One of these was a gentleman from Salt Lake City, whose presence in Astoria by the time the banks open on Monday morning is very material. Some time since work was stopped for want of funds on the Astoria and Portland railway, so called for convenience; the contractors had performed something over \$350,000 worth of work; having perfect confidence in the principals who were backing the project; when suddenly influence opposed to another railway entering the Willamette valley from any source, tampered with the backers to such an extent as to weaken their faith in the enterprise; money was withheld, and work stopped. The committee of Astorians holding in trust a valuable subsidy of cash and lands to be turned over to the railway on completion of the line agreed upon, have been aggravated beyond further endurance by the meddlesomeness of outside parties, enemies of Astoria, emphatically decided to give the company but one more chance, and the limit of time to renew operations on the work of construction was fixed at Monday, Dec. 26th. This spurred Messrs. Corey Bros. to renewed effort, and they have made complete arrangements for the final and perfect fulfillment of all parts of the original contract. They are here, snowed in; Monday the 26th is not far distant, but we hope they may be able to greet "miserable" Megler and affix their names upon the Occident register not later than 10 o'clock tomorrow night. Then in truth Astorians may "enjoy the holidays" with them.

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American Cholera.

From the DAILY REVUE, Whatcom, Wash.]

"T. C. Burnett, the democratic candidate for sheriff, was taken violently ill at Clearbrook. He had all the symptoms of Asiatic cholera, and for an hour or two it was feared he would die. They finally gave him a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which revived him until a physician arrived." That is precisely what the manufacturers of that medicine recommend for cholera. Send for a physician but give their medicine until the physician arrives. If cholera becomes prevalent in this country next summer this preparation will be in great demand because it can always be depended upon. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.

Movement of Trains.

Friday Daily.

The 3:05 a. m. train today, Fowler conductor, arrived here from the east for breakfast at 8:15 a. m., and remained in The Dalles yard all day.

The 4:20 p. m. train west bound, Miller conductor, yesterday left The Dalles headed by three locomotives at 9:30 p. m., but went no farther than Hood River. It was backed up to The Dalles again this afternoon, and mails transferred for Portland via Spokane and the N. P. R.

A cattle train of eighteen cars, headed by three locomotives, left The Dalles yesterday afternoon for Portland, but laid up in the snow at Bonneville, which was cold comfort for the hungry heaves on board. It was thought here to-day that the cattle would be turned loose and left to shift for themselves rather than to freeze to death in the cars.

The snow plow from Pocatello, reported at Umatilla at 9 a. m. today. She was between Umatilla and Willows, disabled by a broken shaft. On receipt of this news a gang of men were collected and sent to the scene of the blockade between here and Portland, leaving at 12 o'clock noon, to dig the way open, if possible. The crew are provisioned for emergencies.

A coal supply train, due here on Wednesday from Portland, made three unsuccessful attempts and was finally ditched below Bonneville.

No train of any kind has come through from Portland since yesterday, and the prospect is not bright for tomorrow.

The Quickest Way to Cure a Cold.

Do you wish to know the quickest way to cure a cold? We will tell you. To cure a cold quickly, it must be treated before the cold has become settled in the system. The first symptoms of a cold is a dry, loud cough and sneezing. The cough is soon followed by watery expectoration and the sneezing by a profuse watery discharge from the nose. In severe cases there is a thin white coating on the tongue. What to do? It is only necessary to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in double doses every hour. That will greatly lessen the severity of the cold and in many cases will effectually counteract it, and cure what would have been a severe cold within one or two days time. Try it and be convinced. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.



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NOTICE.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, The Dalles, Or., Aug. 6, 1909.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Wyatt A. Stark against the heirs of George E. Langille for abandoning Homestead Entry No. 3,892 dated July 20th, 1892, upon the W half of SE 1/4 and S 1/4 of SW 1/4, section 22, township 2 north, range 11 east, in Wasco county, Oregon, with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at the U. S. land office, The Dalles, Or., on the 8th day of October, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

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